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MARCH 13, 2014 DEBRIS REMOVAL UPDATE

AUGUSTA, Ga., March 14, 2014– The contractor continues to work in all zones not yet listed as complete. “The amount of debris collected so far is estimated to be able to fill up 85 Olympic sized swimming pools,” said Interim Deputy City Administrator, Steve Cassell, “and we aren’t done yet.”

Hazardous limb and tree removal is complete in the following zones: 1A, 1C, 1D, 2A, 2B, 2C, 2D, 3, 3A, 3B, 3C, 3D, 5, 6A, and 6C. Hazardous limb and tree removal is approximately 95% complete county-wide.

First pass-debris removal complete in the following zones: 1C, 1D, 3B, 3C, and 3D.

The following is a summary of debris and hazard removal for March 13, 2014.

	3/13/14	Project to Date
Haul Trucks Operating	69	N/A
Bucket Trucks Operating	26	N/A
Total Haul Loads	462	5,729
Debris Hauled (cubic yards)	23,155	275,024
Hazardous Limbs Removed	836	22,862
Hazardous Trees Removed	18	739
Debris Removed prior to contract (cubic yards)	N/A	~80,000

Refer to www.augustaga.gov for daily updates and the zone map.

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